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DOUBLE HANDICAP

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Hongkong, July 4, 1892.

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JOHN THURBURN, Manager, Hongkong. Hongkong, February 4, 1893,

Undersigned :-

Hongkong, October 1, 1892.

Honekong, March 4, 1893.

424 | Hongkoug, August 2 1892.

March 22 :-

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Marseilles, Mess's C. Rudolph, W. Pesta-

lozzi, J. Bruhn, F. Olausen, H. V. Pren-

tice, H. Kopki, Perrin, Sydney Jones,

General Voyror, Lient, Roulet, Messre

Sallanave, Thiefand, Dupre, Chorin. From

Shanghai : for Siigon, 2 French Marines

Mr and Mrs Michie; for Marseilles, Lieuts

Per Chang, for Kobe, Mrs Griggs, and

Mr Takashi ; for Yokohama, Mr and Mrs

Roome, Mr and Mrs M. Emants, Messas

A. C. Urampton, Henry Aden, A. Kamer

T. A. Singleton, Mrs and Miss Norrie, Mrs

A. Chuk and 3 children, Messrs H. H.

for London, Major R. Doris, and Mr A. J.

and Mrs W. S. Payne, Masers Tata, S. C.

Peters, G. H. Peters, Hon, Mr and Misses

Harris (2), Mr and Mrs trimble, and Mr

Hang Bing Tai; for Yokmama, Mr Marks

and son, Mr and Mrs Chroside, Mr and

Boss, Mosars V. Moore, Tompson, and O.

Baniels : for Sau Franciso, Mrs M. M.

Clark, Mrs Sutherland an 2 children i for

New York, Mr Geo. Hausn; for London,

Mr and Mrs Dick, Mr and Mrs D. C.

Andrew, Messra H. Comb, J. A. Combe,

R. B. Barron, J. Langhan, Capt. and Mrs

A. Thomson, Col. H. Robison, Messrs H.

W. Roberts, A. W. Robers, Lord Dormer,

Griffith, Baron de Tuyll, Lessre H. Rich.

Mr Griffith's valet, Harl Deart's valet.

SHIPPING REORTS.

Thick rainy weather don the Yang-tso :

with donse fog between linham and Tung-

The British steams Belgic reports

The British steamerBenalder reports

thence to port, moderte Easterly winds

Had fine weather up b the 29th; after-

The British steame Hailoung reports

Left Swatow March 21; from Swatow to

port, moderate E.N.I winds and cloudy

The British steam Benlarig reports:

Moderate N.E. monsyn throughout, with

moderate sea, equall with rain. Moan of

The Chinese steam Ching Ping reports:

Had moderate to fre N.E. winds and for

The German stener China reports

The last two days spng E.N.E. wind and

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The Japanese stener Hiroshima Maru

to Heishans; light wid and rain to port.

Had moderate variable inds and sea.

The British steamer kksang reports :

Miss E. Mack, and Mr AArnold.

sea and fine clear weathe.

and clear weather, .

Bar. 29, 96.

throughout.

and hezy, squally weater.

ardson, A. Buchanan, fav. M. Harris,

Serpa ; for Hamburg, Mr Von Ewald.

Perard and child.

Empress of Japan, for Shanghai, &c.

Chasan, for Baiphong.

Framnes, for Bangkok.

Yung Ching, for Canton.

Kriemhild, for Yokohama.

Calidonien, for Europe, &c.

Else, for Swatow.

Thales, for Swatowl

Zafiro, for Amoy.

Don Javin, for Amov.

Tuksang, for Canton.

Kiel, for Chulou.

Activ. for Holhow.

and 85 Chinese.

Ching Ping, for Canton.

THEATRE after the Performance. SON, K.O.M.G.; BARKER, O.B. HOSPITAL). PART L 1.-Opening Chorus, Sing, Protty Maiden, Sing; Romanza and Chorus. It was a Knight; Romanza, Tis the Harp in the Air; Angelus Chorus -Maritana, by Wal-2. -Aria, for Bass, Dis-Huguenots, by Moyerbeer 3. -Aria for Contralto, Enridice, by Gluck ... 5 .- Grand Arinand Ca--La Traviata, by Yordi 6. -- Romanza for Bari-Maschera, by Verdi 7.-Ariaand Allegrofor by Bellini Cattaneo J and Missrere for Soprano, Tenor, and Ohorus-Il Troyatore, by Verdi 2. Aris for Soprano, by Meyerbeer..... 3.-Aria for Tenor, Ivanhoe, by Sullivan 4.—Waltz, From the taneo 5.—Habaneras and Bo-Yradier and Arditi 6. - Aria for Tenor, Salby Gounod 7. Grand Aria for condo, by Rossini ...

Entertainments. ROYAL. ONDON LYRIC COMPANY. Proprietors-F. B. Hardy and J. S. Smith. Director - J. Saville Smith. A GENUINE POPULAR SUCCESS, New Pieces-Latest Novelties. TO-NIGHT (Wednesday), 22nd March, 'KLEPTOMANIA.' TO-MORROW (Thursday), 23rd March. FRIDAY-'LATE LAMENTED. SATURDAY-'MY SWEETHEART.' Miss Manie Brian as . Tina. Mr. CECIL BURT as 'TONY.' In Active Preparation: The greatest and latest London Success, 'N I O B E.' Dress Circle and Stalle \$2. Back Sents \$1. Books of Eight Tickets\$13. Box Plan at Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LD. A Late Tram for the Peak 15 minutes Doors Open at 8.50. Commence at 9. [524 To-day's Advertisements. Under the Distinguished Patronage of HIS EXCELLENCY SIE WILLIAM RUBIN-HIS EXCELLENCY THE HON. SIE EDMUND B. FREMANTLE, K.O.B., C.M.G.; HIS EXCELLENCY MAJOR-GENERAL DIGBY GRAND CONCERT, DUPILS OF MAESTRO CATTANEO, In Aid of the Furnishing of THE NETHERSOLE HOSPITAL (SUFFLEMENTARY TO THE ALIGE MEMORIAL at present in course of erection. St. ANDREW'S HALL POSTPONED UNTIL THURSDAY, the 6th April. PROGRAMME. Mrs J. McOallum, Mrs Mudie, and Ladies & Gentlemen Amateurs persa sen Vada-Les Mr Rraal Che faro-Orice and Mrs A. G. Gordon 4.—Piano Solo Miss Carolina de Souza baletta for Soprano Miss E. Carvalho tone, Un Ballo in Mr C. H. Grace Soprano, I Puritani, Mrs G. S. Coron 8. -Ave Maria, for Bass Mr C. Holliday, and Chorus, by A. and Ladies & Gentlemen Amateurs PART II. 1. -Aris for Soprane, Miss E. Carvallio Mr C. Lammert, and Ladies & Con-Hemen Amateurs Roberto il Diavolo, Mrs Kjeller Come Gentle Sleep, Mr F. J. East Pacific to the Atlan- Mr Ruchwaldy tic, for Violin and Piano, by A. Cat- Mr Cattaneo lero, for Soprano, by Mrs F. D. Guedes City of Peking, v. Honolula........... THORSDAY, May 18. ve o Dimora, Faust, Mr C. Lammert Bass, Maomette Se - Mr C. Holliday 8.—Duet for Soprano Mrs G. S. Coxon and Contraito, Stabat Mater, by Rossini ... | Mrs A. G. Gordon [No ENCORES.] Tickets, Two Dollars each, may be had from Mr. BREWEE, Messrs. KELLY & WAISH, Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and Mesers. MOUTRIE, ROBINSON & Co. Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY. (Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for NINGPO, CHEFOO, NEW-OHWANG, TIENTSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTSZE.) The Co.'s Steamship

Captain NISH, will be despatched as above of SATURDAY, the 25th Instant, For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents. Hongkong, March 22, 1893. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Tantalus. Captain Jones, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 28th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.

Hongkong, March 22, 1893. STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA NAGA. SAKI AND KOBE.

(Passing through the INLAND SEA.) The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship
Ravenna,
Capt. G. W. F. BROWNE,

B. N.R. will leave for the above places at Noon, on FRIDAY, the 31st Instart. For Freight or Passage, apply to H. H. JOSEPH.

Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

To-day's Advertisements.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAMSU. The Co.'s Steamship Hailoong. Captain ROLOH, will despatched for the abo Ports TO-MORROW, the 23rd Iostant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. General Managers. Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

THE OHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL.

The Co.'s Steamship J. GBAY, Commander, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, 23rd Inst., at o p.m. For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Hongkong, March 22, 1893. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY

LIMITED. FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Steamship Sungkiang,
Captain Dood, will be
despatched on SATUR-DAY, the 25th Instant, at 5 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

NOTIOE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, COLOMBO, PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALGUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MEDITERRANEAN AND

BLACK SEA PORTS, ALEXANDRIA MARSEILLES, LONDON, HAVRE AND BORDEAUX;

PORTS OF BRAZIL AND LA PLATA.

ON WEDNESDAY, the 5th April, 1993, at Noon, the Company's Steamship OXUS, Commandant DUPONT, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and so cepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted til

Cargo will be received on board until. u.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. or the 4th April, 18:3 (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

U. S. Mail Line.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG. Peru.....SATURDAY, April 8. City of Rio de Janeiro ... THURSDAY April 27.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship PERU will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, sid- NAGASAKI, KOBE, IN-LAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONO-LULU, on SATURDAY, the 8th April, at I p.m., taking Passongers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe. Steamers of this line pass through the INLAND SEA OF JAPAN, and call at Honolulu, and passengers are allowed to 516 break their journey at any point on route. Through Passage Tickets gratifed of England, France, and Germany " all

trans-Atlantic lines of Staumers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli-THROUGH TICKETS issued passengers to Europe or to cities in the United States or Canada are good for transporation to the Missouri River, by the CENTRAL & UNION PACIFIC RAILWAYS only. East of the Missouri River, passengers have the choice of

various Railway lines to New York, wid Hong. Chicago, St. Louis, Nisgara Falls, Washington, Philadephia, Etc. Particulars of the various routes can be

obtained on application. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navai, Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and

their families. Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railway, to Havana, Trinilad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico,

Central and South America, by the Conpany's and connecting Steamers. Breight will be received on board until p.m. the day previous to sailing. Parco Packages will be received at the office until b p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should so marked to address in full; value

of same is required. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to points beyond San Francisco In the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Quetoms at San

Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 72, Queon's Road Central, J. S. VAN BUREN,

Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Date of Leaving. A posits. Destinatio Norddeutscher Lloyd. April 3, at 3 p.m. Bromen & Ports of Call Sachson (8)..... Mensageries Maritimes March 24, at 3 p.m. Haiphong Haiphong (s) T've, L'on, H'bg & A'p Cardiganabire (a)..... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About March 21. John Andrew March 25. Kobé Kingaland (5).... Kobé and Yokohama. Hiroshima Maru (1)... Geo. R. Stevens March 30. London, v. Ports of Cill Kaisow (s) Arnhold, Karberg & Co. March 23, at 5 p.m. London & Porta o' Call Carthage (s)...... P. & O. S. N. Co..... March 30, at noon, London, v. Suez Canal Tantalus (s). Butterfield & Swire ... March 28. Butterfield & Swire ... March 25, at 5 p.m. Manila, via Amoy Sungkiang (s) Marseilles, &c Glenavon (8)....... Jardine, Matheson&Co About March 31. Marseilles, v. Saiges. Oxus (s)...... Messageries Maritimes April 5, at noon. ... Dodwell, Carlill & Co. About April 5. 542 New York, v. SuezCanal Macduff (s) ... Port Darwin, &c. Chingtu (8) Butterfield & Swire .. April 6. Mirzapore (a) P. & O. S. N. Co..... Shanghai, via Amoy... Ixion (s)...... Butterfield & Swire... March 26. ... Straits and Bombay Gwalior (s) P. & O. S. N. Co..... March 27, at noon. Swatow, Amoy & T'sun Hailoong (a)...... Douglas Lapraik & Co. March 23, at noon, Vancouver (B. O). & Empress of China (s)... Canadian P'fic R. Co... April 12, at noon, Y'hama v. N'ki & Kobé Ravenua (s)....... P. & O. S. N. Co..... March 31, at noon, DEPARTURES.

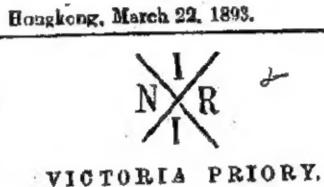
h-day's Advertisements. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED. FINAL DIVIDEND of 3 % for the 6 A Months ending 31st December, 1892, has been declared on the Company's Preference Shares: " The DIVIDEND WARRANTS will be | Phra Chuia Chem Kine, for Swatow. Ready on the 27th Instant.

The Transfer BUOKS of the Company are OLOSED till the 27th Inst., inclusive. ABNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, March 22, 1893. 547 Fidelio, for Hoihow. OHINA SUGAR REFINING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be OLOSED from the 12th to H. Smith, U.S.A., Miss J. de H. Smith, 29th April, both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.



Regular MEETING of the Vic-TORIA PRIORY will be held WEDNESDAY, the 29th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, March 22, 1893.

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DISPENSARY.

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Vaccinogène, Saigon.

Company, Ltd.

SHIPPIN C ARRIVAL March 21 :-

Taksang, Biftish eteamer, 977, Freemar Wuhu March 16, Rice for Canton. - JAR-DINE, MAYHESON & Co. Activ, Danish steamer, 355, H. Hygom, Pakhei March 18 and Hoihaw 10, General ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

March 22 :--Kiel, German steamer, from Cunton. Belgie, British steamer, 4,211, Wm. H. Walker, San Francisco February 23, Honolulu March 2, and Yokohama 16, Mails and General. -0. & O. S. S. Co.

Benalder, British ateamer, 1,286. C. K. McIntosh, Saigon March 18, Rice and Paddy.-GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hebe, Norwegian steamer, 1,664, F. W. Clausen, Saigon March 17, Rice. - ORDER. Tai Vick, German str., 903, F. N. Emke, Bangk k March 15, Rice.-YUEN FAT

Hailoong. British str., 783, J. S. Rouch, Swatow March 21, General, -Douglas Benkarig, British steamer, 1,456, S. Lo Had light variable windto Paracel Roefs; Boutellier, London and Singapore 15, General.-GIBE, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Amigo, German steamer, 774, A. Bendixen, Saigon March 17, Rice and Paddy -WIELER & Co. Ching Ping, Chinese str., .524, C. H. Crowlie, Chefco March 16, General. - C. E.

& M. Co. China, German steamer, 1,114, P. Voss, Bangkok March 15, 5 p.m., Rice. - MEL- Hangchow, Hainan an Siam. CHERS & Co.

Pu Ping, Chinese steamer, 526, J. Watts Tongku and Chefoe March 17, General. -CHINESE ENGINEERING & MINING Co. Triumph, Germansteamer, 678, J. Bruhn, Pakhoi March 19, and Hoihow 21, General. -EDUARD SCHELLHARS & Co. Velasco, Spanish gunboat, 1,000, Pernaudez, Manila March 18.

Kaisow, British steamer, 1,935, J. Gray, Shanghai March 16, General.—AnnuolD, Senator, British ship, 1,695, Smith, New York December 25, Petroleum. - MELCHERS

Hiroshima Maru, Japanese steamer, 2,052, H. Walter, Saigon-March 18, Rice 510 and Paddy,-GEO. R. STEVENS.

MAILS willlose:-For SWATOW, MOY & TAMSUL-Per Hailoong, 111.30 a.m., on Thurs-- day, the 23 inst,

MEMOR FOR TO-MURROW. Shipping. Noon. - Hailcong leaves for Swatow, &c.

5 p.m. - Kaisow leaves for London, &c. Auctions. 3 p.m. -Auction of Valuable Lesschold Property at Nos. 8 and 10, Tung Shing

Amusements. . 9 p.m .- Performance at the City Hall. Miscellaneous. Goods per Riversdale undelivered after

General Memoranda. FRIDAY, March 24:-Goods per Krienhild undelivered after this date subject to rent, 9 p.m. - Performance at the City Hall. SATURDAY, March 25 :-

this date subject to rent.

2.30 p.m. -Auction of Chinese Porcelain, &c., at Mr Geo. P. Lammert's. WEDNESDAY, March 29:-9 p.m.-Meeting of Victoria Priory. FRIDAY, March 31 :-List of Contributions to the Canton Insurance Office, Ltd., to be sent in before this date.

EHUHSDAY, April 6:-9 p.m. - Concert at St. Andrew's Hall. ATURDAY, April 8 :-11 a.m. - Meeting of Shareholders of The Hongkong Hotel Co., Ltd., at Com-

pany's Hotel. Exchange. Hongkong, March 23.

On London-Bank: Wire. 30 days' sight, 4 months' sight, 2/8/ Dopamentary, 4 months sight, ... 2/8 on Paris-On demand, Credits, 4 months' night, ... 3.41 On Berlin-Demand, 2.71 On New York-On demand, Credits, 60 days night, On Bombay-Per Belgie, from San Francisco, Col. J. On Calcutta-Per Tai Yick, from Bangkok, 5 Chinese. Per Hailoong, from Swatow. Messrs On Shanghai-Per Ching Ping from Chefoo, 8 Chinese. On demand, 30 days' sight, private paper,

Per Calidonies, from Hongkong : for Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) . \$ 7.40 HONGKONG REGISTER Previous 10n date at On date at dayatap.m. 10 s.m. 29.96 29.97 29,89 92 Direction of o d

Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per tael)

for Singapore, 4 Chinese; for Alexandria, 0.29Highest open air temperature on the 21st.....62 Lowest open air temperature on the 21st......68 Eberhard and Pitroff, Admiral Tirtoff, Mrs Hongkong Observatory, March 22, 1893.

de Stuky, child ind nurse, Messra Lewis, Hamilton, Marduoff, Brierley Lonce, and Elson Jackson. From Yokohama: for Saigon, Mrs Brand and amah, Mesers WATSON & Co. Teyssier, Pechind, Lieut, Devergie, and A. Mr Castebonnel; for Singapore, Mr Ratcliffe, LIMITED. and Miss Tetsu; for Marseilles, Mesers Goldschmidt, Wagen, and Utsumbioya. From Kobe : for Singapore, Mr and Mrs Tong Too; for Marseilles, Mr and Mrs

> CHEMISTH BY APPOINTMENT. ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

10. M. Perkins, Mrs Eberle, Mr Han Chow, MANUFACTURERS Mrs Ng Pour Chew and daughter, and 4 Chinese ; for San Francisce, Me and Mrs W. F. Lowis, Mesars J. M. Lowis, Emilio Boesch, F. E. Hendry, Chan Back, Mrs M.

Hughes, Chun Quon Ho, and & Chinese ; OUR NEW FACTORY has been recently Per Empress of Jopan, or Shanghai, Me refitted with automatic Steam Machinery A. Ross, Capt. Marshal, Mr and Mrs Rocher, Mr F. B. Hardy; for Kobe, Mr of the latest and most approved kind, and Mrs Guinness, child and servant, Mr

and we are well able to compete in quality with the best English Makers. The purest ingredients only are used, and

the utmost care and cleanliness are exer-Mrs Simpson, Mesers White Cooper, Fyfe Jamieson, F. Reynolds, Japt. Marshall's cised in the manufacture throughout. valet, and Mr W. H. Peoch for Vaccouver, Miss K. L. Patterson ; forPortland; Capt.

'BOMBAY SODAS. We continue to supply large bottles as herotofore, free of Extra Charge, to those of our Customers who prefer to have them to the ordinary size.

COAST PORT ORDERS, whenever practicable, are despatched by First Steamer leaving after receipt of order.

Major Cooke Collis, Messria. Pointon, B. Mitchell, Earl Dysart, Masra F. and A. Actley Cooper, A. D. Stalird, A. H. P. and placed on board ship at Hongkong and a guard of honour from the Shropshire Officer then administering the Government, Clarke, Belt, Col. Green, Ir C. D. Green, Mr and Mrs Lupton Boot, Mr Withers, prices, and the full amount allowed for Regiment was also drawn up on the wharf. Packages and Empties when received in Por Thales, for Swatow Mr Milchling. good condition.

Counterfoil Order Books supplied free on application.

left Woosing at noon, or 8th instant, met Our Registered Telegraphic Address DISPENSARY, HONGKONG. ying; thence to arrival fresh to strong N.E. unsteady winds win light following And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept ready in Stock :-The German steamer Tai Yick reports ; PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER wards strong N.E. wit, with heavy sea,

LEMONABE POTASH WATER SELTZER WATER

weather. Steamers it Swatow, Yuensang, LITHIA WATER SARBAPARILLA WATER TONIO WATER GINGER ALK GINGERADE

LEMON SQUASE RASPHERRYADE No Credit given for Bottles that look dirty or greasy, or that appear to have reports; Light will and fine weather been used for any other purpose than that

of containing Acrated Waters, as such Bottles are never used again by us. A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED.

THE HONGKONG DISTRIBARY, HONGKONG.

at 8.00 p.m.

r The China Mail.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 1893.

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.' (Via Southern Line.)

SINGAPORE, March 21, 1893. Silver and Silver Stocks are greatly dopressed owing to the Indian Loan.

UGANDA DISCUSSED. Mr Gladstone has instructed Sir Gerald Portal to enquire into the best method of treating the Uganda question, neither oc oupation nor annexation meditated. Mr Labouchere's amendment for omit ing the Uganda Oredit was rejected.

LOCAL AND GENERAL The M. M. Co.'s steamship Salazie, with the FRENCH MAIL of February 17,

left Saigon on Monday, March 20, at 3 a.m., and may be expected here on or about Thursday, March 23. This able on the 27th inst. packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Jan. 11. he P. & O. s. s. Mirzapore, with the Eng. LISH MAIL of Feb. 24, left Singapore on Sunday, the 19th instant, at 5 p.m. and may be expected here at 5 p.m. on Friday, the 24th instant. packet brings replies to letters de spatched from Hongkong on Jan. 10. THE Russian gunboat Zabiaka loft to-day

The only alterations in our Share List to- principle that a party to a civil suit shall day are :- Ohina Fires, \$83, sales ; Hongkong Fires, \$2271, sellers.

THE Spanish gunboat Telasco arrived from Manila to-day, and the Russian gunboa

Zabiaka left for Shanghai. THE Pacific Mail s. s. Peru, with mails, &c. from San Francisco to the 4th instant, has bunal, the plaintiff or defendant be at liber-

this port to-morrow morning. As will be seen from our advertising columns, the date of the Concert by pupils of Maestre Catianeo, in aid of the furnish-

altered from the 28th inst. to 6th April. Garrison commences to-night, and throughout the day arrangements of the military authorities have been going on under anything but favourable or agreeable conditions as to weather.

Ar the Magistracy to-day Captain Hastings | decided, rightly as we think, that no means fined one German and two English seamen exist of compelling a British subject to give \$5 each, with the alternative of ten days' imprisonment for obtaining a surreptitious passage from Manila on board the steamer Esmeralda.

THE Northern Pacific s. s. Mogul, which sailed from this port on the 16th inst., left Shanghai at 2 p.m. on Monday, the 20th inst, en route to Tacoma, Wash. - The same | Robinson, prosided, and there were also Company's s. s. Victoria, sailed from Moji present : Hon. G. T. M. O'Brien, C.M.G., for this port direct, on the 19th inst., at 4

On behalf of the Sanitary Authorities, F. A. Cooper, Director of Public Works; Inspector Cleribew prosecuted a Chicaman residing at 312 Queen's Road West for failing to notify his son's sickness from Seth, Clerk of Councils. Absent : Hon. J. J. Bell-Irving. small-pox on March 20. The case was heard at the Magistracy before Captain Hastings, who imposed a fine of \$10, with the option of a month's imprisonment.

Messas Dodwell, Carlill & Co., General Agents for the Northern Pacific Steamship Co., inform us that they have received advice from Yokohama that the Japanese Board of Trade Inquiry into the collision between the steamer Hokumon Maru and ing motion of which he gave notice at the the steamer Zambesi has held the Hokumon | last meeting of the Council :-Mary to blame, has reprimanded her Cap-

tain, and returned him his certificate. Hrs Excellency Senhor de Borja, Governor of Macao, left for Saigon by the Coledonien to-day. Captain Sterling, A.D.C., the officers of the Portuguese gunboat Bengo, tive Council: and the Portuguese and Spanish Consuls were on Pedder's wherf when His Excel-For Coast Ports. -Waters are packed lancy left, accompanied by Mrs de Borja; under Section 34 of said Ordinance by the

> ABOUT one o'clock this morning fire broke Kennedy Town, and before it was extinguished a considerable amount of damage buildings in the occupation of a Chinese firm of grain merchants, for whom Chan A Tai was the manager. Yesterday over 590 bring forward this resolution is that when son and Co., and Messis Shewan and Co. and girls, These women and girls fall The contents of No. 22 are insured for into the clatches of these people, who \$30,000 with the former firm. There are no exercise such terrorism over them that suspicious circumstances. An inquiry will | they are afraid to express oren a desire 505 | be held on Friday afternoon.

The publication of this issue commanded | True steamer Propontie was select to-day in an action raised in the Colonial Court of Admiralty by the master, Capt. Farrand for about £245 due as wages.

THE London Lyric Company, which continnes to bring together large houses, produced Kleptomanta at the Theatre Royal last night. The caste was so arranged that all the members of the Company were well suited in their parts, although the prompter was a little too prominent. As usual, the short variety entertainment proved a success. Kleptomania will be repeated to-night, and the Late Lamented fills the programme for to-morrow evening.

MESSES Arnhold, Kerberg & Co., sgents of the China Mutual Steam Navigation Co. inform us that the following wire has been received from the Head Office, London :-General meeting satisfactory. £13,000 added to the Depreciation, Boiler, and Reserve Fund, and £1,300 carried forward to next account. Dividend of 3 per cent. on the preference shares, declared for the half-year ending Slat December, 1892, pay-

MR Donald Fraser, who recently refused to give avidence before a Japanese tribunal unless compensation were paid by a party summoning him, has now withdrawn his objection so far as to consent to appear and answer questions provided that they are put through the Court. Mr Fraser's object (remarks the Japan Mail) is very clear. No one imagined, of course, that mercenary considerations influenced him at all. But the truth was not at first easily discernible, namely, that he wished to establish the not be at liberty to summon any, witness he pleases without offering compensation. The time of a business man, especially a man with such a multiplicity of work as Mr Fraser has, is of the highest value, and it can scarcely be denied that some check should be imposed on the arbitrary citing of such a person purely in the interests of another. If, when a suit involving a sum of money is instituted before a Japanese, or any other, triarrived at Yokohama, and will leave for ty to have any one whatever subpossed, and kept waiting in the Court for hours as Mr Freser was, there is obviously no limit to the inconvenience which merchants and men of affairs may be exposed. Mr Fraser seems to have made it quite plain to the Yokohama District Court originally that he was fighting for a point of public interest ing of the Nethersole Hospital, has been but that, since he desired to further the cause of justice so far as lay in his power, he was willing to answer any questions put to THE mobilization of the troops forming the him by the Bench since by this method he would virtually establish the principle that it was not competent for the defendant to summon him and keep him an unlimited time in Court. On that basis the problem was finally solved. It is impossible not to sympathise with Mr Fraser's position from a business point of view. He has carried his point in this instance, the Court having evidence before a Japanese civil tribunal, except by recourse to procedure that would be both vezatious and undignified. But evidently the last word has not been said on a subject of very great interest and very

wide bearing. THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. The Legislative Council met this afternoon. H. E. the Governor, Sir William Colonial Secretary ; Hon. W. M. Goodman Attorney General : Hon. J. H. Stewart Lookhart, Registrar General; Hon. N. G. Matchell Innes, Colonial Treasurer : Hou. Hon. R. Murray Rumsey, Harbour Master; Hon. C. P. Chater, Hon. T. H. Whitehand, Hon. E. R. Belilios, and Mr Arathoon

The Colonial Secretary laid on the table the report by the Director of Public Works

The Director of Public Works handed in a report of the proceedings of the Public Works Committee at a meeting on 8th inst., and moved that it be adopted. The Colonial Treasurer acconded.

PROTECTION OF WOMEN AND GIRLS. The Registrar General made the follow-Whereas by Section 20 of Ordinance 11 of 1890 it is enacted that Part II of "The Women and Girls Protection Ordinance. 1890 " should only continue in operation for a period of two years from the coming into operation of that Ordinance or such further period or periods as might from time to time be determined by resolution of the Legisla-

into operation on the 6th day of April, 1891, by virtue of a Proclamation duly issued Gazette of the 4th April, 1891: And whereas it is desirable to further

And whereas the said Ordinance came

extend the period during which the said out in a grain store at 22 Holland Street, Part II of the said Ordinance shall be in operation,-It is this day resolved by the Legislative Council of Hongkong that Part II of " The Women and Girls Protection Orwas done. The store is the centre of three dinance, 1890," shall continue in operation notil further notice." In doing so he said. The reason why I

bags of rice were taken into the store by Ordinance 11 of 1890 was introduced there coolies, and it is supposed that some of was a special section inserted stating that these men had dropped a lighted cigarette | Part II of the Ordinance Schall only conon the floor which had smouldered from tinue in operation for a period of two years about 5 p.m. till the fire was discovered by from the coming into operation of this a watchman. A report was sent to No. 7 Ordinance or such further period or periods Police Station, and the Fire Brigade as may from time to time be determined by turned out on the alarm being sounded, resolution of the Legislative Council. under the command of Mr Mathieson, Act- The reasons for specially limiting this part ing Deputy Superintendent of the Fire of the Ordinance were that some of the Brigade. Acting Captain Superintendent powers conferred in it were of a novel May also turned out a detachment of character, and it was thought advisable to police, and marched them to the acene of fix some period to see how it would work. the fire. Owing to the water supply being The powers are contained in Sections 14, turned off water had to be pumped from 15 and 16 of the Ordinauca. These powers the Harbour by the steam fire engines, were introduced chiefly from the Singapore which were looked after by Mr J. W. Ordinance. That Ordinance is still in Ringhorn, Brigade Engineer; and after force in Singapore. Hongkong in introducthe officers of the Water Department had ing the Ordinance followed the example been turned out a plentiful supply was ob- set there, and the Secretary of State tained from the street hydrants. Had it in giving instructions for the introduction not been for the exertions of the firemen of it thought it would be better to the conflagration would have been a most follow the example of hingapore in serious one, as the grain stores are sur. limiting this part for two years. The rearounded by dwelling houses. The store in son for introducing these special powers to which the fire originated was totally de- Part II, was in order to meet special abuses stroyed, with its contents, and part of the which exist here in connection with the store and contents at No. 21 was also des- immigration to the Colony and the emigratroyed by fire and water. The total dam- tion from it. It is well known to those age is estimated at \$80,000. This loss is who have experience of immigration and partially covered by insurance with Mesers | emigration here that there is a class of Carlowitz and Co., Mesers Jardine, Mathe- people who carry on a traffic in women

for freedom. It is, therefore, necessary

to protect these women and girls in order | to-day to say something in support of the | therefore the ratepayers should not be put that they may have an apportunity of resolution rather than against it. From to any expense on the re-erection of them protecting the mealves. The mode of pro- my knowledge of the working of the by reason of our private works of reclamacodure which has been adopted since the Ordinance for two years and also from the tien. Then, passing on from public Ordinance came into force is for the Re- experience of those Chinese of whom I piers to private ones, we are told sons under the provisions of the Or. say that the Ordinance, or that part very considerable pecuniary benefits on us, dinance and send them to an asylum, of it to which the resolution, refers, we must consent to pay compensation which-since the Ordinance came into has worked very satisfactorily so far. But, some extent-that is to say partial comforce—has been the Po Leung Kuk. It of course, the satisfactory result of pensation—to such owners as are compelled is to the co-operation of this Society the working of the Ordinance, as to give way to us and to remove their that the success which has attended has been pointed out to you by the Re- structures. When he (the Attorney General) the enforcement of this Ordinance is almost gistrar General, depended a good deal upon came to look over these documents and when entirely due. It may be asked how this the co-operation of the Committee of the he saw that the Colonial Secretary at the part of the Ordinance has worked since it Po Leung Kuk; and I wish also to point time specifically mentioned these five piers came idto force. Well, if figures can be out while supporting the motion that that he thought his right and proper course was taken as any criterion I think it cannot but enoporation should be continued. Other- to try to carry out what had evidently been be regarded as working successfully. No wise, any support of it would not be so intended by the parties at the time. loss than 583 women and girls have been hearty as it is new. It is only with the the Government had asked to have all their dealt with-333 in the first year, and 250 hope that the Registrar General will on all rights under the Praya Reclamation Ordinin the second. All these girls have been future occasions, when he has occasion to ance as it stood, they might claim for all sent to the Po Loung Kuk, and the large carry out the provisions of that Part of the their piers; but he had endeavoured to the majority of them have either been restored Ordinance, should book the advice and co- best of his ability to see what the agreeto their relatives or friends or steps operation of a Committee of respectable ment was and to give effect to it. have been taken to settle them comfortably leading Chinese in the Colony and follow Mr Belilios seconded the motion for the in life. The conducting of enquiries and its advice when exercising his discretion in second reading, which was passed. the settling in life could not have been operation of the Chinese members of the would be very easy for an official, by a the Atterney General were made without community who are better situated for acc. little hasty decision or by carrying opposition. The appointment of Chief ing to the wolfare of these girls than Eng- out the provisions of the Ordinance in Justice Fielding Clarke as Umpire was unconferred by the Section referred to deal of hardship amongst the Chinese. there is also Section 17 which makes He might interfere very unwisely it 'lawful for the Governor in Council with the family arrangements-the domesout of monies to be provided by the Legis- tic arrangements, -and just because he lative Council for that purpose to provide a bad only what is stated in the Ordinance suitable building or buildings for the pur. as reasonable grounds for it. Of course, Government have little or nothing further a gravel Tennis Court at Government pose of temporarily housing and maintain. reasonable grounds means the exercise of a in the shape of legislation to bring forward. House, and the creation of twelve Post ing women and girls detained under the certain amount of discretion on the part during this seasion. The only ordinance on Office Pillar Boxes in the City and Hill provisions of this part of the Ordinance and of the officer entrusted with carrying out the stocks—if I may use the expression—is Districts. as the apploin for them during such detenthis Ordinance has been in operation regret the Registrar General has not Kak Ordinance, but, as you will recollect the extensive works of sewerage and water has been the Po Leung Kuk, but thought it desirable to extend this part of I referred this matter to a special supply carried out by this Department and that asylum has not been in any way supported by the Government, the whole cost being borne by the Chinese commu. a very important Ordinance which your Registrar General, Dr He Kai, Mr Chater, admit. nity, and the principle laid down in that section has existed merely as a principle mittee—the Po Leung Kuk Ordinance. In Treasurer. No report has as yet been pre- East, Bonham Road, Caine Road and and has not been put into practice. think it is advisable to retain the principle | made that the Registrar General should because, later on, it may be necessary to associate himself with permanent put it in force. Section 19 deals with committee to advise in carrying out bonds 'entered into before the Registrar any law or provision regarding reclaimed General with respect to the custody, maintenance or giving in marriage of any female child. In 1883, one of my predecessors in hearty supporter of the motion before the office, Dr Stewart, found it necessary, owing House, without reservation. I therefore to the prevailing abuses in connection with | think Mr Chater's suggestion a very proimmigration to and emigration from the per one, and I hope the Registrar General Colony, to protect these girls though no will be able to consent to limit the ported legal powers existed at the time to enable to one year. him to do so. Not having legal power it was feared to enter into these bonds for if limit the time to one year? at any time it was considered necessary to call upon the securities to find the money they might not have been sustained. There. by stating 'shall continue in operation for fore. Section 10 was specially introduced one year from 6th April, 1893, in accordto meet that case. During the two years since with the wishes of Honourable memthis Ordinance has been in operation, it bers. has not been found necessary to put this Section into effect, but at the same time. although the number of girls to which it applies has become less I think it would be wise to retain this Section until all the girls secured under bonds of this nature reading of the Bill entitled 'An Ordinance have been settled in life. Such is a brief to provide means for ascertaining the description of the various sections of this amounts to be paid by way of compensation Part II. I feel the more confident in in respect of the Wharves and Piers along submitting the resolution to your favour- the line of the Praya Reclamation, to fix able consideration because, so far as I | the periods for the payment thereof and for know, the Chinese community are in other purposes in connection therewith. favour of Part II and as it is almost He repeated the explanation which he made entirely Chinese who are affected by it on the first reading as to the reasons for its their opinion nught to have the introduction. In addition to the two greatest weight. From a commercial valuers, the Director of Public Works and point of view I think it is of the greatest Mr Danby, it had been suggested that there importance that impigration into the should be an Umpire in whom the parties Colony should be so conducted that no concerned should have confidence and whose stigms should be attached to Hongkong in | decision if it should be required in any case that respect. All who have had a prolong- would make it unnecessary to resort to a ed stay in the East know that immigration | Court of Law. He understood that there has had a notoriety of not a desirable na- was a general wish that Chief Justice Fieldture, and I think everybody will agree with | ing Clarke should consent to act as Umpire me it is of importance that immigration, (applause.) He understood from the Chies which is of no small importance to the pros- Justice that if it was the unanimous wish perity of this Colony, should be conducted he would undertake, gratuitously of course, in a manner that every person coming to the duty of umpire. He (the Attorney this portion of British territory shall have a General) was quits sure that everybody chance of immigrating as a free subject and | would be very glad that the Chief Justice not under duress as more chattels. Not agreed to take the position of Umpire only in the interests of commerce, I think, (applause). Certain alterations in the bill should this part be continued in force, but would be proposed in committee, not involalso in the interests of humanity. It has ving any departure from the principle of the always been the beast of Britous in every bill, but to meet little difficulties that had part of the world that people on British soil | cropped up. It had been considered necesare free subjects, and thus to secure freedom | sary to provide for deductions in respect of to people who unfortunately, through no structural depreciation, or, in other words,

name and which I now formally move. pleasure in according the motion which has pensation in the Gazette there shall also be been made, as I am brought more or less in published in the Guzette a list of the respeccontact with this subject and have the tive persons to whom it is proposed to pay opportunity of knowing that sometimes | the respective sums mentioned in the table; under the clock of innocent and legitimate and if in any particular instance any person immigration abuses may crosp in unless has any objection to payment being made preventive measures are provided. I do to the person or person named in the list. not advocate the pressing of our protection | the objector may, within three months apon those who willingly and knowingly from the date of publication of the list, resist it ; but I think powers should send his objection in writing to the be given to the Registrar General, Culonial Secretary: In any case so objected who has the best means of protect- to where difficulty should arise as to ing the women and children who come the person or persons to whom payment here, for providing that protection they should be made, the sum mentioned in the desire from those who would otherwise table would be paid into the Supreme Court, prey upon them unless we had these pre- and whoever wished to claim the money

was not present when the Honourable the Court there would be no appeal. It appear-Registrar General commenced his speech | ed that some people were rather dissatisfied in support of this resolution that is now | that only five wherves or piers were menbefore the Council. Although I was not | tioned in respect of which the Government present yet I am quite of his opinion that | was to receive compensation. He would tell the Ordinance as it now stands has done them exactly why it was that he recoma great deal of good, and I trust, as every | mended the adoption of that course. Those Honourable Member of the Council may who were here at the time the Praya wish, that the Ordinance will continue to Reclamation Ordinance was passed do good in the Colony. I have absolutely would recollect that there was no doubt in my mind it will. But while great deal of preliminary correspondence on agreeing on this point I am of opinion that | the subject. On the 19th February 1889, if we pass this resolution as it now stands | Dr Stewart, who was then Colonial Secrewe shall be doing that which is not quite | tary, wrote a letter to Mr Chater, who at in accordance with the original Ordinance I that time was to a great extent representbefore us, namply, the Protection of Women ing the wharf-owners and took a leading past year a good deal has been done toand Children's Ordinance. In the portion of part in the matter, in which letter the wards the more efficient maintenance of the extend over the months of October to April the Ordinance under discussion it is dis- following passage occurred:- There is how- Telegraph lines; iron poles have been sub- inclusive, or a period of 212 days, the timetly stated that it shall only continue in ever another consideration equate to those stituted for wooden ones wherever the lat. average rainfall for that period being 18.74 operation for a period of two years from which have induced the view of the Secrecoming into operation or such further tary of State on this point, viz., with referperiod or periods as may from time to time ence to the wharves and piers belonging to be determined by resolution of the Legis- the public which will require to be removed lative Council. The resolution which is in consequence of the proposed reclamation. before us is "until further notice." . " Until | The constructions in question are ! Pedder's further notice, I contend, is not for any Wharf, Murray Pier, Pottinger Street Pier, period or periods as may from time to time Nam. Pak Hong Pier and the Harbour the several Police Stations and Governhe determined by the Legislative Council. | Master's Pier: and it seems to the Governor Therefore. I think that the resolution | that in respect of these the case for compenshould state a fixed period-say, one, two sation, which by inadvertence was hot subor three years, as the case may be. I have mitted to the Secretary of State, is expenditure involved in introducing these or waste. absolutely no objection to the resolution even stronger than in respect of the improvements. boing fixed for a long period, but I am of privately-owned piers.' That was read at a opinion that whilst the Po Leung Kuk is | public meeting and was called attention to

pared to second such an amendment. Dr Ho Kai-From my position in this Council as representative of the Chinese it thing at ones on the resolution before us. Now, I am very glad to say I can stand up onet of the ratepayers generally and that you a separate communication.

amendment to that effect.

General to detain such per have made inquiry, I am able to that, as the reclamation will confer

dinance. It might be imagined that it the bill, and the amendments indicated In addition to the powers an arbitrary way, to cause a good animously agreed to. the Urdinance for only; one year or six

> Excellency has referred to a special com- Mr Whitehead and the Acting Colonial Garden Road has been concreted, Praya that Ordinance provisions have been women and children; and if that Ordinance had been passed I would have been a most

His Excellency-Are you prepared to The Registrar General-I have no objection whatever to amend my resolution

The resolution was thereupon passed

THE PIERS AND WHARVES COMPENSATION BILL. The Attorney General moved the second

fault of their own, live under conditions allowing something in consideration of new where freedom is characterized by its piere for old; and it had also been deemed absence, I propose for your favourable con- advisable to provide for cases in which sideration the motion which stands in my difficulties might arise as to ownership. It was now proposed that within one month The Harbour Master-I have much from the publication of the table of comcould apply to the Court in Summary Juris. Mr C. P. Chater-I regret very much I diction and from the determination of the

still in abeyance, that perhaps if we were in Mr Chater's speech on 6th March, 1889, in without involving any exceptional expento arrange to-day to fix a period of one the following words; 'The second condi- diture. The number of interments during year it would suit all parties; and unless tion relates to compensation for piers. This the year has been eighty-two. the Honorable the Registrar General is condition looks at first a little complicated, prepared to fix that period I will move an but I think you will find it clear enough The usual repairs have been carried out when you come to examine it. To begin and the Praya Wall and Piers maintained Mr T. H. Whitehead said he was pre- with the Government thinks we ought to in a satisfactory condition,

refund the Colonial Treasury the cost in full

accordance with the provisions of the Or. The Council then went into committee on

THE SESSION MEAR AN END.

shall adjourn the Conneil for a fortnight, Tabs by Tunng A Sin; the construction of but it may not be nescessary to call you fire-proof room for the use of the Supreme together so soon, as I am happy to say the Court and Land Office; the construction of these provisions. But with the advice of a an ordinance amending the Vagrancy Or- Maintenance of Roads and Bridges in Vic sented, and we cannot proceed with any or- Queen's Road Central have been macadaand theroughly considered. In justice to chai, have been formed, channelled and the members of the committee might see it some of the more important street crossings desirable to furnish a report on as early a in the City.

> a prepared to send it in soon. I think I am at liberty to ed to Kennedy Town Police Station, Consay on behalf of the members of the com- tract Tage, by Mr Foo Sik. mittee that grave consideration has been fore them during the menths they have sat, Ching Lai Kee. and that they trust to be in a position very The Council then adjourned.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR 1892. This report was laid on the table of the Legislative Council to-day. The following is the portion dealing with

ANNUALLY REGURREST WORKS. Repairs of Buildings .- The following new Buildings were completed in 1891. The Civil Hospital Coolie Quarters, Lunatio Asylum for Chinese, Police Stations at Aberdeen, Kennedy Town and Quarry Bay, and the District School Satylogpun, the maintenance and repair of which therefore became chargeable during the past year to

The old Central School has been removed, the site being utilised for the erection of 'The Belilios School for Girls.' The total number of Buildings of all descriptions now in charge of this Department is one hundred and twenty-nine. The whole of these, with the exception of Mountain Lodge, which has practically been abandoned, have been maintained in a satisfactory condition.

Extensive repairs to the roof at Government House and the floors of the Supreme Court House were carried out during the latter part of the year. During the repairs of the Supreme Court temporary acc mmodation was provided at the Masonic Hall in Zetland Street.

The construction of a small addition to was completed in the month of April. T to following buildings have been painted externally : Shektongtsui Market, Stan-

ley Police Station, Taitam Police Station and Saivingous Market. The re-drainage of the Harbour Officers' Quarters and of the Government Office

Stables has been effected. The contractors for the work done connection with the repair and maintenance of Government Buildings during the past year have been Mr A Hok, for work within the City of Victoria, and Messra Chan A Tong & Co. for work outside the city. For the purpose of checking the expen-

diture incurred by this Department on buildings in occupation by other departments, separate departmental accounts have been kept during the past year.

The following list shows the several headings of account and the expenditure agninat them :-

Department.

(1) Government House, Offices, Supreme Court, Botanical Department, \$ 10,037.74 (2) Police Stations, and Magistracy, 8,241.61 (3) Gaul, d) Educational (Schools)..... 5) Sanitary Board (6) Medical (Hospitala and Asylums),..... (7) Misosilansons, (8) Harbour (Office and Powder Magazine), 1,087.87

Maintenance of Telegraphs -During the ter have required renewal.

In August last, C.S.O. 1812, I submitted a report on the present system of Govern. | September to May inclusive or over a period ment telegraphs and suggested certain of 273 days falls much below the average as alterations, including the more general in. was the case in 1890 and 1891, and in 1885 traduction of Telephones, for the improvement of electrical communication between ment Buildings throughout the Colony. Provision has been made in this year's utmost economy in the use of water and the estimates for meeting to a large extent the most careful watchfulness against its misuse

Public Cemetery. - The Cometery has below the average during the months of been maintained in a satisfactory manner Maintenance of Praya Wall and Piers .-

A settlement has occurred in the Praya of the five public piers which will be absorb- Wall in front of Marine Lots 177-181 may be expected that I should say some. Pier, Pedder's Wharf, Pottinger Street present endanger either the safety of the

The new pier at Youmati was completed : in March last, at a cost of 84,274.37. Maintenance of Lighthouses. - The Lighthouses are in an efficient state of repair and no extraordinary expenditure has been

incurred on their maintenance. Maintenance of Disinfector. - The Disin fector has been maintained in good working order though seldom required during In the month of December last the

Disinfector was placed in charge of the Sanitary Board as the department most frequently requiring its usp. The building and apparatus is still periodically inspected and maintained by this department, and any expenditure-incurred for this purpose is charged against the vote . Repairs to

Dredging Poreshores .- During the past year 48,200 cubic yards of material have been removed from the harbour at a cost of \$8,075.39, including the cost of ordinary maintenance of the dredger. Exceptional expenditure has, however, been incurred on repairs to the machinery and hull of the dredger amounting to \$884.87. The aunual contract for the removal of material dredged was let to Mesers Chan A Tong

Miscellaneous Works. - Several minor works have been carried out, the more important of which are :- the construction of His Excellency-As a matter of form I a Block House at Samsuipo, Contract No.

well, as I have already told permanent Committee that power could dinasce. One other ordinance has been toria.—The Roads and Streets have been the asylum during the two years not possibly be abused, and I can only referred to, namely the Po Leung maintained in as satisfactory a condition as committee on the 25th of April the works carried out by the Telegraph and months until we have had time to consider last, the committee being composed of the Gas Companies during the past year would

dinance until the report has been presented mized, and Bullock and Cross Lines, Wanthe members of the Po Leung Kak I think kerbed. Granite paving has been laid at

date as possible, and I shall be very glad The Bridges have been maintained in to hear from the Registrar General that he satisfactory state of repair without involving any exceptional expenditure. The Registrar General-Your Excel- A new approach road has been construct-

The annual contract for repairs to Roads given to the questions that have come be- and Bridges in the City was let to Mr

Maintenance of Roads and Bridges out shortly to send in their report. - I am not Victoria .- Plantation and Mount Gough certain whether they will be able to do so Roads in the Peak District have been conwithin the next formight, but there is a creted, the road from Aberdeen to Stanley possibility that it may be within that time. I thoroughly repaired, and the portion as far as Little Hongkong macadamized. General repairs have been carried out on

most of the Roads and Bridges in the outlying districts. The Bridges at Deep Water Bay and Tein-shui-wan mentioned in my last report have been reconstructed of iron and concrute, as have also the Bridges on the Lit-

tle Hongkong New Road and the one at Wong-nei-chung which was damaged by the rain-storm of 1889: Maintenance of Roads and Bridges Koroloon. -These have been maintained in an efficient state of repair without involv-

ing any exceptional expenditure. Maintenance of Water Works .- The whole of the works enumerated in my annual report dated the 13th of January. 1892, under the heading Existing Works, together with those new works described therein as complete have been maintained

in a natisfactory condition without any exceptional expenditure. The Wong-nei-chung and Mint Dam reservoirs have been utilized for the supply of water to the East Point and Bowring-Sngar Refineries.

During the winter of 1891-92, steps were taken to measure the minimum supply obtainable during the dry season from the Mint Dam works. From the measurements made it appears that a minimum supply of 100,000 gallons per diem can be relied on during an ordinary dry season. Satisfactory arrangements have been made during the past year by which the long pending question as to the right of the Magistracy mentioned in my last report | Mesers. Jardine Matheson & Co. over the Mint Dam Works has been settled, the Government undertaking, in consideration

of Messrs Jardine, Matheson foregoing all right over these works, to supply free of cost, 100,000 gallons per chan to the East Point Works The Taitam and Pokinlan Filter Beds have been in constant use throughout the the former being 843,010,474 gallous and

at the latter 260,364,100 gallons, giving an 708 gallons per square yard per 24 hours stituted. in the case of Pokintam. The total expenditure on the mainten-

ance of the Water Works including those of been \$9,996.75 divided as follows:-

Maintaining Taitam Reservoir, Conduit and Filter Beds including supplying Sand and cleaning Filters, \$2,90 1.95. Maintaining Pokfulam Reservoir, Conduit and Filter Beds including supplying Sand and cleaning Filters,

31.038.48. Maintaining the Distribution Works including cost of numping water to the higher levels of the City and the Hill District and inspection of Services, \$6,057.82,

The total quantity of water supplied to the City and Figure District was 1,183 647,574 3,131.25 gallons, so that the cost per 1,000,000 gallons supplied has been \$8.45. The tabular statement in Appendix shows the quantity of water abstracted from the Taitam, Pokfalam, -Wong-nei chang and Mint Dam Reservoirs during

> the past year. The ordinary dry season may be said to

When the rainfall for the months of and 1886, and 1886 and 1887, such period is one of exceptional drought, but their somewhat frequent occurrence points only too clearly to the necessity of exercising the

A comparatively low rainfall or use much

September and October generally indicates an unusually lengthened period of drought. As will be seen from the diagrams the rainfall during the dry season (October to April) of 1881 and 1892 was considerably above the average and the rainfull from September to May was also above it, consequently the scarcity of water experienced during the early part of 1891 and referred to in my last annual report was not again ed in the reclamation. These are Murray Prays West. This settlement does not at experienced during the early part of 1892. In view of the mistaken idea that seems Wharf, the Nam Pak Hong Pier and the wall or roadway but it will be necessary generally prevalent in the Colony that now Undoubtedly, it touches the Chinese more Harbour Master's Pier. It is contended hortly to raise the wall to its original that the 'big reservoir at Taitam' has been than the Europeans or any other class, that these five atrustures were built at the level. Upon this subject I shall address constructed there cannot possibly be any scarcity of water, I make no apology for have been fixed varying in size from \$the of Washington correspondent sends the follow- articles.

entering rather more fully into the most Important question of the capabilities of the present sources of supply and storage reservoirs to meet the ordinary requirements of a population of same 146,000 persons.

To take the most favourable groumstances let us say that both the reservoirs at Taitam and Poktulam are full on the 1st of Septem-378,000,000 gallons, to this must be added the past year, the cost being paid by the the dry weather flow into these reservoirs epplicant. high amounts approximately in the case of |-Taitam to 150,000 gallons per diem und in the case of Pokfulam to 100,000 gallons per is 3,463 and in the Hill District 79. diem, (I say approximately for it is only

ance of 111 gallons nearly per head per diem | season. for a population of 146,000. On examining the Table A2 annexed to my last report and Appendix A it will be of September to May inclusive was 763,645,. 000 gallons or at the rate of 19 gallons per water drains in some portions of the City. diminishing the volume of our currency in

The supply obtainable from the Taitam and Pokitulam Catchment areas during a dry season of 273 days' duration is therefore insufficient to meet the present requirements of the City.

In November 1890, there being every appearance of a protracted dry season, certain streams along the Taitam Conduit | drains have been maintained in a satisfactory | is believed that the whole issue of \$50,000,were intercepted. During the last two condition without incurring any exceptional | 000, if it should be found advisable to years some further streams have been expenditure except in one instance where a dispose of the remaining \$25,000,000, can springs may be taken approximately at 350,000 gallons per diem or a total of access into it, dry season of 273 days' duration.

gallons or 221,845,000 less than the requirements of the City during such a area should not be further encouraged.

cribed, and which do setually occur from time to time as was only too evident in the and streets of Yaumati and Tsimshatsui, happened last week at one of the great mittent system of supply had to be of November. resorted to during the mouths of February. March, April and a portion of May.

It is obvious from the foregoing that if | 78. the time has not actually arrived when steps for increasing the water supply City of Victoria is 75. should be taken in hand it cannot be very far off if the population of the City coutinues to increase. It therefore behoves TELEGRAMS BY THE AMERIevery water consumer to exercise the greatest vigilance against the waste and misuse of water and to banish from his mind at once the idea that the supply contained in the 'big reservoir at Taitam' is inexhaustible.

in Appendices E and F, an examination of the Government.' which will show that the filters have seted | The only way, therefore, of avoiding effectually during the past year and the this would be a coup d'etat, which would buted has been maintained.

sumption in the City and Hill District | Kaiser support him in such a policy?

(22,701,070 gallous) and Naval Esta. Gurdian knot in a summary way, but in have been whipped in two rounds. blishments (5,044,000 gallone), we ob- his day the knots of political parties were tain an average consumption by the nat nearly so tangled as to-day. Civil Population for domestic purposes

year. The quantity of water filtered at | gone to the expense of laying on water to | forgetting their interests. premises, putting tape and fittings in order for the convenience of their tenants and the average rate of 848 gallons per square yerd prevention of waste the improved fittings per 24 hours in the case of Taitam and bave been removed and defective ones sub-

time came for their inspection.

existence of defertive tape and fittings.

showing the hourly consumption of water | Stewart. during period of 24 hours in the months of June and December, 1892.

the habits of the population as very large, J. W. Huston, Chief Justice of Idaho, who especially during the summer months by the | titutional and that it should be stricken from trades are followed are gradually being the country at a cost of less than \$2 per singled out and meters fixed on the services. onace, yet the gilded Senators, wabbling Further, the lavish use of water by the night around in the palaces of Calhoun and ditional vessels. soil coolies for the washing out of utensils is another factor tending to swell the con- maple trees. sumption during the night.

These causes do not, however, account for

the whole of the night consumption. By the use of Tylor's waste detecting meters, houses have been found in which taps have parposely been left running, probably for the greater part of the night, owing to the erroneous impression that such a dribble of water flushes out the house drain. I have not the slightest hesitation in saving that one bucket of water poured rapidly down a drain will do more good by way of keeping it clean than 100 buckets wasted by allowing taps to run in this manner. A further source of constant waste is the prevalent practice of turning on taps and washing clothes and other articles by allowing the water to run freely over them instead of filling a bucket or tub and washing articles in such bucket or tub.

These are matters that can only be dealt with by the occupiers of premises and unless be called on to take their supply by meter, pay meter rent, and pay for the quantity of cents a day, and they have struck. water animally consumed. Meters. - During the year, 66 meters

number now in use 130. will be seen on reference to Appendix D. House Service.—The demands made on this department to lay on water to private tenements and repair existing defective services still continue large, 507 applications having been received and attended to during

The total number of houses now connected

Maintenance of Severs .- As the new strenuously the issuance of bonds under recently that means have been available for newerage works progress the old sewers in his administration and had hoped to reach ascertaining the dry weather flow at Pokfu- the higher levels of the City are rapidly be- the end of his term without being compellam, and in the case of Taitam no means are coming storm-water drains only. The ed to do so. But the treasury's condition, as yet available) neglecting evaporation we diversion of the sewage proper from these it is said, had become so perilous that he get a total supply available from these in the lower levels will be a work of time, finally realized the necessity of doing sources of 446,250,000 gallons during the but until this is done we cannot hope to get something to protect the gold reserve and period of 273 days or at the rate of 1,635,000 | rid of the effluvia that sometimes arises from avert the possibility of a run which might gallons per diem, giving an average allow- gully gratings especially during the dry have disastrons results. Already the trea-

a large quantity of road detritus and other | belped it out with loans of gold. material finding its way into the side chanseen that the consumption during the months | nels has doubtless caused a marked improve- the intention is to replenish the stock of ment in the condition of the large storm- gold in the vaults of our treasury without The cleaning out of these gullies and the circulation in this country. In other words removal of the deposit from them is, as the Government under this policy is going pointed out in my last annual report, a into the market to buy gold with its securimatter of considerable importance. This ties, and naturally prefers to buy gold work is included in the Scavenging Contract abroad and ship it to this country instead

> Board and its Officers, The whole of the sewers and storm-water London market is not known here, but it

95,550,000 gallons during a protracted Though trees along the sides of roads are The bonds are 4 per cents, payable at very useful for shade purposes they (es- the option of the Government ten years Adding this to the supply obtainable pecially banyan tress) very much interiere after date. They are what are known as from the Taitam and Pokfulam Catchment | with the maintenance of roads and drains, 'coin' bonds, but, of course, being sold areas we get a total supply of 541,800,000 | and I am of opinion the planting and growth | for gold they will at maturity be redeamed of trees slong the road side within the built in the same coin.

Street Lighting .- The lighting of the City Though the matter is receiving caroful by Gas and Electricity has been satisfactoriconsideration I am not at present in a ly carried out under the contracts with the eign Office has been somewhat perturbed position to make any definite proposal for Hongkong and China Gas Company dated by an incident which recently occurred at materially increasing the quantity of water 4th January, 1892, and the Electric St. Petersburg, but which has not yet been available for distribution within the City Company dated 15th October, 1890 and 10th reported in the English newspapers, alduring such seasons as I have above des- April, 1891, for periods of three years. though it has been discussed in the diplo-

CAN MAIL.

THE POLITICAL DEADLECK IN GERMANY. Berlin, February 22,-Concerning the political deadlock a Conservative leader this message to the Embassador: His in the Reichstag says the only way out is a Excellency forgets that the Ameer is our Quality of Water .- I am indebted to Mr coup d'etat. He explains: 'The natural guest and that we are accustomed to treat W. E. Crow, Government Analyst, for course of events under the present circum. our vassals with a courtesy which the Enmonthly analyses of the Pokfulam and stances would have been to dissolve the glish are not in the habit of extending to Taitam Water before and after filtration. | Chamber, but an appeal to the country theirs." The results of these analyses are contained | merely means an overwhelming vote against |

high standard of purity of the water distri- radically alter the present voting system. Such a change would be a very daring Consumption of Water. - Various details stroke of policy. The great question is, as to the consumption of water during the | Would the Chancellor advise it? There is past year will be found in Appendix D little doubt that he would wish it. Still from which it will be seen the total con- more important is the question. Would the amounted to 1,183,647,574 gallons, the That the present situation is highly maximum obtaining during the month of aggravating to the Chancellor is undoubted. He has done everything a man sound. I sat in a box with the doctor Taking the resident sivil population at sould do to force the military bill through, that night and when Sullivan entered the 152 000 and deducting the water supplied and afterward the Russian commercial arena be exclaimed: "There's something exclusively for trade purposes, and treaty, but finds himself apparently wrong here. That's not the same man I "also that supplied for the Public Car. beaten almost before the battle has comdens and Markets, and to the Military menced. Bismarck would have out the Sullivan fought like a cow. He ought to

The spoutaneous upheaval of the Agriover the whole year of 19 gallong per head cultural party has made the deepest im-In accordance with Section 14 of the finent speeches at heated meetings of So- Sullivan's room when it was brought in by Water Works Ordinance, meters have been cialists, anti-Semites and others short of the hotel servant. I asked him where fixed for the supplies of several Government | commmon sense. The speeches made at Casey was and the man said that both the institutions. These are enumerated in Ap. | the |Agricultural meeting have carried the trainer and his boy were busy. I think opinions of the respectable middle classes. During the past year the services to 2.069 | The Agriculturists to-day presented a houses have been inspected, of which 1,035 petition against the Russian commercial were found defective. These have now been | treaty. The Kaiser replied kindly, and put in order, though I regret to say that said it was quite right to appeal to him. several instances have come to my notice The question was one of great difficulty. where after the owners of property have and he would consider it seriously, not

THE AMERICAN DIMETALLIC LEAGUE. Washington, February 22,-The first annual convention of the American Bimetallic League was called to order to-day by President A. J. Warner, Fifty delegates from Doubtless the improved fittings had been | the Western States were present. Among removed and fixed in adjoining premises by them was Weaver, oundidate for President uncorupulous persons for the purpose of of the People's party, a companied by Mrs the Hill District during the year 1892 has putting the water cervices in order by the Lease. Warner, is a speech, said the question of free coinage overshadowed the If occupiers of premises would, say even turiff question, which, in his opinion, was once a week, inspect the taps and fittings, but the result of the restricted coinage of the would be saved a great deal of trouble and annoyance due from the loss of the Irish question, of the labor question, the condition of the property, the constant presence of workmen in their houses and the messibility of the water being temporarily of the great waste taking place on account of the man act, but to labor until silver was put on a parity with gold. Addresses were also In Appendix J will be found diagrams made by Weaver, Mrs Leass and Senator

> Interesting addresses occupied the time of August and December, 1891, and March, the evening session. Among the speakers were Colone! Shinn of Kansas, Congressman The consumption of water during the night | Bland of Missouri and Hatch of Missouri. doubtless strikes many not acquainted with The last speaker of the evening was Judge but it is in a great measure accounted for | said that the legislation of 1873 was unconsvarious trades the Chinese carry on during | the statute books. In fact, he said, not an the night. The premises in which these ounce of sitver had ever been produced in Webster, thought silver ran like sap from

PANAMA'S LAST HOPE.

correspondent at Panama cables the following: A majority of the members of the in arranging the modus vivendi in 1801. Chamber of Commerce of this city favor the granting of an extension of time to the canal company. At a meeting to be held under their anspices they will express confidence in Monchicourt's ultimate success in his efforts to reorganize the company, and ling of a mine at Carlabad; Bohemia. will petition the Government at Bogota to grant Mauge an extension of one year. Only foreign merchants doing business

on the isthmus, Colombian laudholders and canal or railway employes will be allowed to have a voice in the public meeting. The merchants will send committees into the streets to seek signatures to petitions favoring an extension of time.

French money is plentiful on the isthmus. There is a strong native element here opsuch careless weste of water is prevented by posed to extension. The preservation gangs them I can only suggest that all occupiers along the line of the canal have been informed that their wages have been reduced 40

> THE AMERICAN GOLD LOAN. Chicago, February 19,-The Herald's Ask dealers in perfumery for Rowlands

an inch to S inches, making the total ling: The United States Government about to buy gold in the London-market. The quantity of water supplied by meter Secretary Foster of the Treasury Department has decided to issue \$50,000,000 or bonds under the law of 1875, known as the resumption act, and to place them in London. In fact the issue has been already arranged for, and on Saturday last Drexel Morgan & Co. offered one-half the whole issue, or \$25,000,000; of bonds for sale in

the London market. With much reluctance President Harri. son gave his consent to the issue of the bonds as he has hitherto opposed mos sury would have been driven very close to The construction of guilles which intercept | the wall if New York bankers had not

By disposing of these bonds in London and is under the supervision of the Sanitary of taking it out of the banks of America. What success has been met with in the

diverted into the Taitam and Pokfulam portion of the Robinson Road sewer, Row- be disposed of at a premium of 3 per cent. Conduits. The dry weather yield of these loon, had to be taken up and re-laid on With all the commissions and charges account of the roots of trees having found taken out the Government should receive a little more than par.

A DIPLOMATIC INCIDENT AT THE COURT OF London, February 19 .- The British For-

Gas lamps have been erected in the roads matic circles of every European capital. It winter of 1890 and 1891 when the inter- Kowloob, and were first lighted on the 1st court fetes given in honor of the Amoer of Rokhara, a Central Asian potentate who is The total number of Gas lamps lighted in | more than suspected of carrying on intrithe City of Victoria is 641 and in Kowloon gues against English India and Afghanistan. The grand master of ceremonies, by ac-The total number of Electric lights in the cident or design, placed Sir Robert Morier, the British Embassador, immediately after the Ameer, whereupon Sir Robert bonneed indignantly out of the room, saying that the representative of the Empress of India could not possibly give precedence to third-rate Asiatic prince who was also a

vassal of the Czer. On being informed of this the Czar sent

Since then the Ameer has had his revenge by concluding a treaty of commercs with Russia which will exclude India from the Central Asian markets.

HOW SULLIVAN WAS FIXED. St. Louis, February 22. - Now comes one Les Townsend and makes uffidavit that to the best of his knowledge and belief John L Sullivan was fixed the night he entered the ring at New Orleans. Ho says : 'On the afternoon of the fight we had him examined by a prominent New Orleans; physician, who pronounced him physically examined this afternoon. He was right.

How was the job done? Why, we had never let a meal go up to John in New Orleans that Casey did not superintend. But the last meal he took before the fight pression. We have been accustomed to got through without inspection. I was in

that meal did the trick.' M'EINLEY BANKRUPT. Chicago, February 20,-The Herald tomorrow will publish the following : Governor McKinley, made a bankrupt by the treachery of a friend, has saked H. H. Kohlsass of this city to act as his trustee. Sad as the Major's financial embarrassment is doubly so is the consequent announcement the he may be compelled to resign the Cabernatorial chair of Ohio and begin tue active practice of the law.

DIRECE AND WART IN BIRLAND. St. Petersburg, February 21.-In consequence of the destruction of the crops by froat last summer famine and disease are now pravalent throughout Finland. More than 200,000 persons are dependent upon charity and the towns and villages are thronged with beggars. At least 500,000 pessants are barely able to find means of subsistence. They have eaten most of their draft animals and domestic pets. Typhus fever is carrying off hundreds

PIGHTING REPORTED IN LIBERIA. London, February 21. - Mail advices from Cape Palmas, Liberia, state that the fouds of the natives at Rockton culminated January 26th in a battle, in which forty-six were killed and 200 wounded. As the mails left hostilities were renewed. BRITISH VESSELS AT THE COLUMBIAN

London, February 21 .- In the Commons to day the Secretary of the Admiralty announced that the commander of the British North American station would attend the naval review at New York in honor of the Columbian anniversary with several vessels of war. The Admiralty was considering, he added, whether to send ad-

COMPENSATION FOR STALERS. London, February 21.—The supplementary civil service estimates contain an New York, February 22.—The Herald item of £20,600 for compensation of Behring sea scalers for losses due to the delay

TWO MINING DISASTERS. Vienna, February 21 .- An explosion in the Skalis mine in St. Yris caused fifteen deaths and injuries to twenty miners. Six miners were drowned by the flood-

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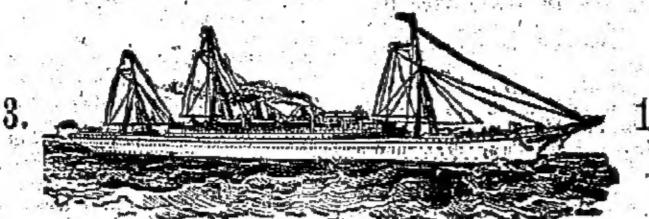
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